

designating May 2018 as “Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis Awareness Month” in Pennsylvania; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

#### SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 371

Whereas, Amyotrophic lateral sclerosis (ALS) is better known as Lou Gehrig’s disease; and

Whereas, ALS is a fatal neurodegenerative disease characterized by degeneration of cell bodies of the upper and lower motor neurons in the gray matter of the anterior horn of the spinal cord; and

Whereas, The initial symptom of ALS is weakness of the skeletal muscles, especially those of the extremities; and

Whereas, As ALS progresses, the patient experiences difficulty in swallowing, talking and breathing; and

Whereas, ALS causes muscles to atrophy and the patient becomes a functional quadriplegic; and

Whereas, Patients with ALS typically remain alert and are aware of their loss of motor functions and the inevitable outcome of continued deterioration and death; and

Whereas, ALS affects military veterans at twice the rate of the general population; and

Whereas, ALS occurs in adulthood, most commonly between 40 and 70 years of age, peaking at approximately 55 years of age, and affects both men and women without bias; and

Whereas, Annually, more than 5,000 new ALS patients are diagnoses throughout the nation; and

Whereas, In Pennsylvania, there are currently more than 1,000 individuals who have been formally diagnosed with ALS; and

Whereas, The \$500,000 in State funding appropriated by the General Assembly for ALS support services for 2017–2018 provided services to nearly 1,000 constituents and a substantial savings to the State budget and taxpayers; and

Whereas, The ALS Association reports that on average, patients diagnosed with ALS only survive two to five years from the time of diagnosis; and

Whereas, ALS has no known cause, prevention or cure; and

Whereas, “Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis Awareness Month” increases the public’s awareness of ALS patients’ circumstances and acknowledges the negative impact this disease has on ALS patients and their families and recognizes the research being done to eradicate ALS; therefore be it

*Resolved*, That the Senate designate the Month of May 2018 as “Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis Awareness Month” in Pennsylvania; and be it further

*Resolved*, That a copy of this resolution be transmitted to the President of the United States, the presiding officers of each house of Congress and to each member of Congress from Pennsylvania.

#### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following reports of committees were submitted:

By Mr. SHELBY, from the Committee on Appropriations:

Special Report entitled “Further Revised Allocation to Subcommittees of Budget Totals for Fiscal Year 2019” (Rept. No. 115–288).

By Mr. BLUNT, from the Committee on Appropriations, without amendment:

S. 3158. An original bill making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2019, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 115–289).

By Mr. SHELBY, from the Committee on Appropriations, without amendment:

S. 3159. An original bill making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2019, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 115–290).

By Mr. CORKER, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute:

S. 2779. A bill to amend the Zimbabwe Democracy and Economic Recovery Act of 2001.

By Mr. BURR, from the Select Committee on Intelligence, without amendment:

S. 3153. An original bill to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 2018 and 2019 for intelligence and intelligence-related activities of the United States Government, the Community Management Account, and the Central Intelligence Agency Retirement and Disability System, and for other purposes.

By Mr. CORKER, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute:

H.R. 3776. A bill to support United States international cyber diplomacy, and for other purposes.

#### EXECUTIVE REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following executive reports of nominations were submitted:

By Mr. WICKER for Mr. MCCAIN for the Committee on Armed Services.

Air Force nomination of Col. Paul A. Friedrichs, to be Brigadier General.

Navy nomination of Rear Adm. Michael T. Moran, to be Vice Admiral.

Air Force nomination of Brig. Gen. Mark H. Berry, to be Major General.

Navy nomination of Capt. Mark J. Mouriski, to be Rear Admiral (lower half).

Navy nomination of Capt. Eileen H. Laubacher, to be Rear Admiral (lower half).

Navy nomination of Capt. Ann H. Duff, to be Rear Admiral (lower half).

Navy nomination of Rear Adm. (1h) John W. Korka, to be Rear Admiral.

Navy nominations beginning with Capt. Nancy S. Lacore and ending with Capt. Eric C. Ruttenberg, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on March 12, 2018.

Navy nomination of Rear Adm. (1h) Mary C. Riggs, to be Rear Admiral.

Navy nominations beginning with Rear Adm. (1h) Alan D. Beal and ending with Rear Adm. (1h) Andrew C. Lennon, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on April 9, 2018.

Navy nomination of Capt. Robert T. Clark, to be Rear Admiral (lower half).

Marine Corps nominations beginning with Brig. Gen. Michael F. Fahey III and ending with Brig. Gen. Helen G. Pratt, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on April 26, 2018.

Air Force nomination of Lt. Gen. Scott A. Howell, to be Lieutenant General.

Army nomination of Lt. Gen. Austin S. Miller, to be General.

Marine Corps nomination of Maj. Gen. Eric M. Smith, to be Lieutenant General.

Air Force nomination of Lt. Gen. Richard M. Clark, to be Lieutenant General.

Army nomination of Lt. Gen. Darryl A. Williams, to be Lieutenant General.

Marine Corps nomination of Col. Daniel J. Lecce, to be Major General.

Air Force nomination of Lt. Gen. Charles Q. Brown, Jr., to be General.

Army nominations beginning with Col. Narciso Cruz and ending with Col. Mark K. Miera, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on May 17, 2018.

Army nominations beginning with Brig. Gen. Joseph F. Jarrard and ending with Brig. Gen. Tracy R. Norris, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on May 17, 2018.

Army nomination of Brig. Gen. Laurel J. Hummel, to be Major General.

Army nominations beginning with Brig. Gen. Tommy H. Baker and ending with Brig. Gen. Ronald A. Westfall, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on May 17, 2018.

Army nominations beginning with Col. Miguel Aguilar and ending with Col. Timothy J. Winslow, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on May 17, 2018.

Navy nomination of Capt. Christopher C. French, to be Rear Admiral (lower half).

Marine Corps nomination of Maj. Gen. Carl E. Mundy III, to be Lieutenant General.

Marine Corps nomination of Maj. Gen. Loretta E. Reynolds, to be Lieutenant General.

Air Force nomination of Lt. Gen. Giovanni K. Tuck, to be Lieutenant General.

Air Force nomination of Maj. Gen. Joseph T. Guastella, Jr., to be Lieutenant General.

Army nominations beginning with Col. Robert G. Carruthers III and ending with Col. Kevin L. Vines, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on June 4, 2018.

Army nomination of Col. Stephen M. Rutner, to be Brigadier General.

Navy nomination of Rear Adm. (1h) Marcus A. Hitchcock, to be Rear Admiral.

Marine Corps nomination of Maj. Gen. John K. Love, to be Lieutenant General.

Army nomination of Maj. Gen. John C. Thomson III, to be Lieutenant General.

Army nomination of Col. Joseph R. Baldwin, to be Brigadier General.

Navy nomination of Capt. William P. Pennington, to be Rear Admiral (lower half).

Air Force nomination of Lt. Gen. Thomas W. Bergeson, to be Lieutenant General.

Air Force nomination of Maj. Gen. James C. Slife, to be Lieutenant General.

Navy nomination of Rear Adm. John G. Hannink, to be Vice Admiral.

Navy nomination of Rear Adm. James J. Malloy, to be Vice Admiral.

Navy nomination of Vice Adm. Andrew L. Lewis, to be Vice Admiral.

Marine Corps nomination of Maj. Gen. John M. Jansen, to be Lieutenant General.

Mr. WICKER for Mr. MCCAIN. Mr. President, for the Committee on Armed Services I report favorably the following nomination lists which were printed in the RECORDS on the dates indicated, and ask unanimous consent, to save the expense of reprinting on the Executive Calendar that these nominations lie at the Secretary’s desk for the information of Senators.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

Air Force nomination of Kourtnei L. Starkey, to be Major.

Air Force nomination of Hermann F. Hinze, to be Major.

Air Force nomination of Joseph B. Ryan, to be Major.

Air Force nominations beginning with Michael Francis Adamitis and ending with Leslie Ann Zyzdamartin, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on May 24, 2018.

Air Force nominations beginning with Barbara B. Acevedo and ending with Christy L. Zahn, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record on May 24, 2018.

Air Force nominations beginning with William P. Morse and ending with Nicholas M.